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ATTN MR BISSELL INFO: COL BURKE, [REDACTED]

J 75 ENGINE STATUS

1. THE RANGE MISSION WAS DISCONTINUED DUE TO INABILITY TO RETRACT THE MAIN LANDING GEAR. THIS WAS TRACED TO FAILURE OF THE ATTACHMENT OF THE ACTUATING CYLINDER. THE CAUSE IS UNKNOWN BUT IS NOT THOUGHT TO BE DUE TO THE J-75 INSTALLATION DIFFERENCES. REPAIR IS SIMPLE AND WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED THURSDAY NIGHT.

2. A LOW ALTITUDE HEAVY WEIGHT STABILITY TEST WAS CONDUCTED WHILE WAITING TO LAND AFTER THE RANGE MISSION WAS ABORTED.

3. THE RANGE MISSION WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED 5 JUNE.

4. PERFORMANCE DATA ARE BEING ANALYZED AND IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT DATA WILL BE AVAILABLE ON 8 JUNE FOR TRANSMISSION TO HQS.

FROM [REDACTED] 25X1A

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